

# VETERINARY EUTHANASIA REPORT

Bald Mountain HMA

Sunday, December 19, 2010

Two horses were euthanized due to the following condition(s) as stated in Instruction Memorandum No. 2009:

**“A Bureau of Land Management (BLM) authorized officer will euthanize or authorize the euthanasia of a wild horse or burro when any of the following conditions exist:**

**5) Has an acute or chronic illness, injury, physical condition or lameness that would not allow the animal to live and interact with other horses, keep up with its peers or maintain an acceptable quality of life constantly or for the foreseeable future.**

**2) Is affected by a chronic or incurable disease, injury, lameness or serious physical defect (includes severe tooth loss or wear, club foot, and other severe acquired or congenital abnormalities).”**

1. Gray female approximately 20+ years of age, Henneke Body Condition Score (BCS) 2, severe tooth loss and dental erosion.

2. Sorrel mare approx 6 years of age, BCS 4, acute spinal injury with bilateral hindlimb paresis, generalized ataxia.